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MINISTRY OF STATES

NOTIFICATION

*New Delhi, the 10th January, 1953*

S.R.O. 153.—The following Order made by the President is published for general information --

ORDER

WHEREAS, a difficulty has arisen in giving effect to the provisions of clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 16 and section 17 of the Government of Part C States Act, 1951 (XLIX of 1951):

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 43 of the said Act, the President is pleased to make the following Order:—

(1) If any question arises as to whether a member of the Legislative Assembly of a State has become disqualified for being such a member under the provisions of section 17 of the Government of Part C States Act, 1951 (XLIX of 1951), the question shall be referred for the decision of the President and his decision shall be final.

(2) Before giving any decision on any such question, the President shall obtain the opinion of the Election Commission and shall act according to such opinion.

RAJENDRA PRASAD,  
*President.*

14th January 1953.

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[No. 7-PA.]

V. VISWANATHAN, Joint Secy.

